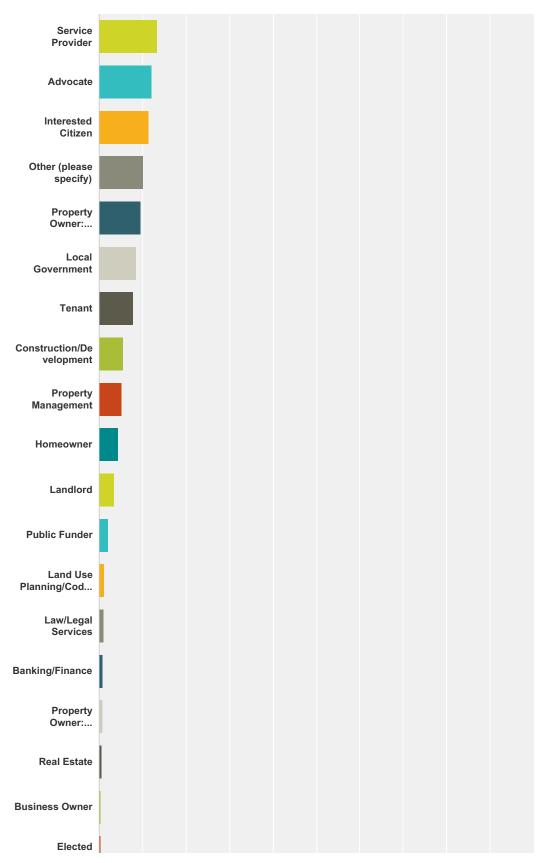
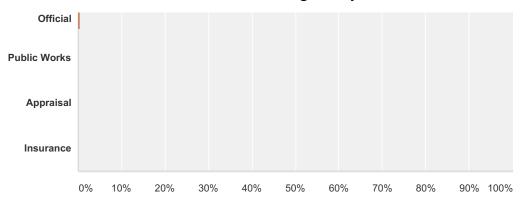
Q1 Which of the following best describes you or your role in affordable housing?

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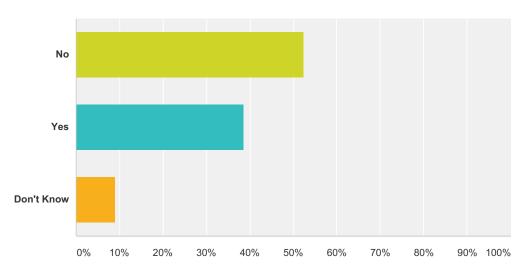




Answer Choices	Responses	
Service Provider	13.42%	104
Advocate	12.13%	94
Interested Citizen	11.48%	89
Other (please specify)	10.32%	80
Property Owner: Multi-Family Non-Profit	9.68%	75
Local Government	8.52%	66
Tenant	8.00%	62
Construction/Development	5.68%	44
Property Management	5.16%	40
Homeowner	4.39%	34
Landlord	3.61%	28
Public Funder	2.06%	16
Land Use Planning/Codes/Permitting	1.29%	10
Law/Legal Services	1.03%	8
Banking/Finance	0.77%	6
Property Owner: Multi-Family For-Profit	0.77%	6
Real Estate	0.65%	5
Business Owner	0.39%	3
Elected Official	0.39%	3
Public Works	0.26%	2
Appraisal	0.00%	0
Insurance	0.00%	0
otal		775

Q2 Have you (as an individual or as an organization) ever received or been assisted by grants from any of the following programs: HOME, HOPWA, ESG?

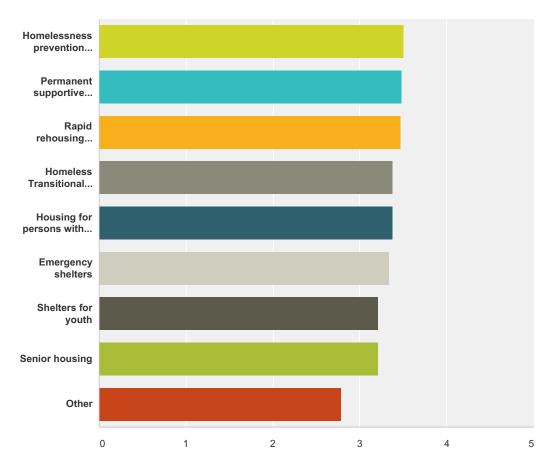




Answer Choices	Responses
No	52.36% 399
Yes	38.71% 295
Don't Know	8.92%
Total	762

Q3 Please rate the need for Housing Assistance types in your community:

Answered: 697 Skipped: 84

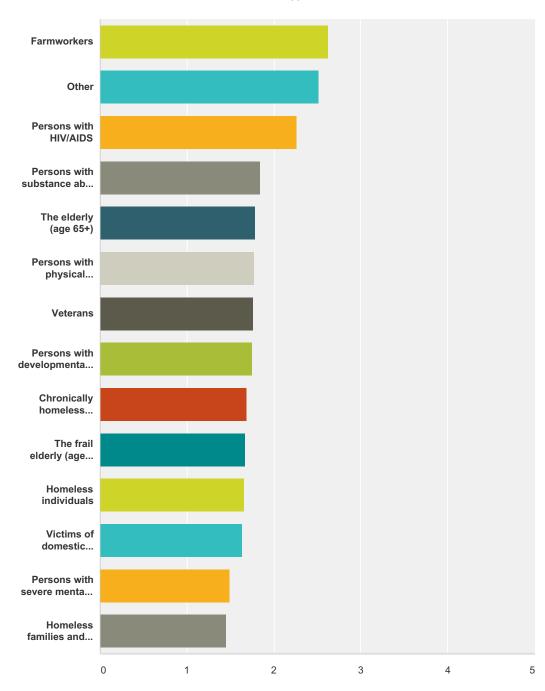


	No Need	Low Need	Medium Need	High Need	Total	Average Rating
Homelessness prevention assistance for households at risk of	1.35%	8.12%	29.02%	61.50%		
homelessness	9	54	193	409	665	3.5
Permanent supportive housing for persons with severe mental illness	1.21%	7.74%	31.56%	59.48%		
	8	51	208	392	659	3.4
Rapid rehousing rental assistance for homeless households	1.52%	9.56%	28.68%	60.24%		
	10	63	189	397	659	3.
Homeless Transitional housing	3.21%	12.84%	26.30%	57.65%		
Ç	21	84	172	377	654	3.
Housing for persons with disabilities	1.04%	8.94%	40.83%	49.18%		
	7	60	274	330	671	3
Emergency shelters	2.72%	12.25%	33.28%	51.74%		
	18	81	220	342	661	3.
Shelters for youth	2.35%	17.21%	37.25%	43.19%		
	15	110	238	276	639	3
Senior housing	2.44%	16.92%	38.26%	42.38%		
	16	111	251	278	656	3

Other	26.77%	10.78%	19.33%	43.12%		
	72	29	52	116	269	2.79

Q4 Part of the Consolidated Plan involves investigation of the needs of special populations. Please rate the need for Services and Housing Assistance for each of the following special needs groups in your community:

Answered: 657 Skipped: 124



Very Important	Important	Somewhat Important	Not Important	Total	Average Rating

Farmworkers	15.85%	28.50%	32.88%	22.77%		
	94	169	195	135	593	2
Other	38.93%	9.92%	11.45%	39.69%		
	51	13	15	52	131	2
Persons with HIV/AIDS	23.49%	33.44%	35.89%	7.18%		
	144	205	220	44	613	4
Persons with substance abuse addictions	43.22%	33.33%	18.18%	5.26%		
	271	209	114	33	627	
The elderly (age 65+)	41.86%	40.60%	14.85%	2.69%		
	265	257	94	17	633	
Persons with physical disabilities	40.63%	43.31%	14.17%	1.89%		
	258	275	90	12	635	
Veterans	43.79%	39.65%	13.54%	3.03%		
	275	249	85	19	628	
Persons with developmental disabilities	43.06%	41.80%	12.46%	2.68%		
	273	265	79	17	634	
Chronically homeless individuals	54.23%	27.11%	13.88%	4.78%		
	340	170	87	30	627	
The frail elderly (age 85+)	50.80%	33.92%	12.38%	2.89%		
	316	211	77	18	622	
Homeless individuals	52.08%	33.65%	10.74%	3.53%		
	325	210	67	22	624	
Victims of domestic violence	51.52%	35.25%	10.85%	2.39%		
	323	221	68	15	627	
Persons with severe mental illness	64.78%	24.84%	7.39%	2.99%		
	412	158	47	19	636	
Homeless families and youth	66.67%	24.44%	5.71%	3.17%		
	420	154	36	20	630	

Q5 Please describe (and prioritize) what you believe are the three most common barriers to housing stability?

Answered: 616 Skipped: 165

Answer Choices	Responses	
First	100.00%	616
Second	97.89%	603
Third	93.02%	573

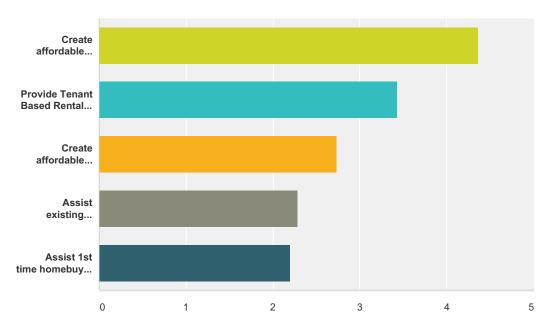
Q6 Please describe and prioritize what you believe are the three most common barriers to low-income housing development?

Answered: 561 Skipped: 220

Answer Choices	Responses	
First	99.82%	560
Second	94.12%	528
Third	83.60%	469

Q7 The State receives funds from the Federal government to invest in affordable housing for eligible low income people. The following specific uses are eligible according to the rules of the HOME Program. Please order how you would prioritize activities using 1 for top priority, 2 for second, priority, 3rd for third priority, etc..

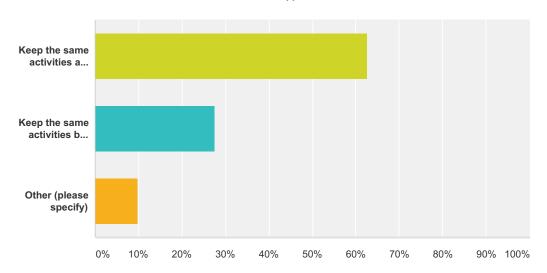




	1	2	3	4	5	Total	Average Ranking
Create affordable rental apartments, either by building new or rehabbing existing properties.	61.65% 381	23.30% 144	6.31% 39	6.47% 40	2.27% 14	618	4.36
Provide Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA).	21.68% 134	38.67% 239	15.70% 97	8.41% 52	15.53% 96	618	3.43
Create affordable single family homes for sale, either by building new or rehabbing existing properties.	8.41% 52	19.42% 120	29.61% 183	21.84% 135	20.71% 128	618	2.73
Assist existing homeowners with rehabilitation costs.	3.40% 21	10.53% 65	26.42% 163	31.28% 193	28.36% 175	617	2.29
Assist 1st time homebuyers with home purchase costs.	4.85% 30	8.09% 50	22.01% 136	32.04% 198	33.01% 204	618	2.20

Q8 Commerce uses HOME funds for the following activities and distributes the funds as noted below:• Create affordable rental units, either by building new or rehabilitating existing properties (rental development). 60%• Provide homeless and low-income households with tenant-based rental assistance including security and utility deposits, or security deposits only (TBRA). 40% In your opinion, should Commerce:

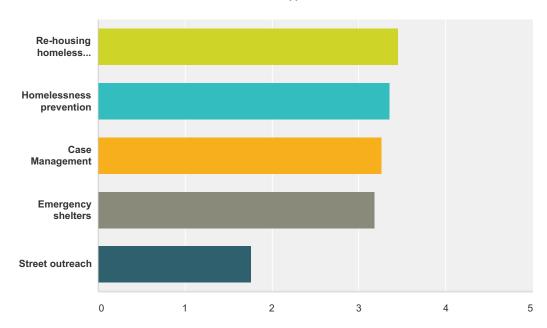




Answer Choices	Responses	
Keep the same activities and fund distribution	62.54%	374
Keep the same activities but change fund distribution (write in % split below)	27.59%	165
Other (please specify)	9.87%	59
Total		598

Q9 The State receives funds from the Federal government to invest in ending homelessness. The following specific uses are eligible according to the rules of the Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Program. Please order how you would prioritize activities using 1 for top priority, 2 for second, priority, 3rd for third priority, etc..





	1	2	3	4	5	Total	Average Ranking
Re-housing homeless households	25.30%	27.32%	20.24%	20.91%	6.24%		
	150	162	120	124	37	593	3.45
Homelessness prevention	29.68%	18.89%	21.08%	18.21%	12.14%		
	176	112	125	108	72	593	3.36
Case Management	18.69%	26.26%	26.09%	20.88%	8.08%		
	111	156	155	124	48	594	3.27
Emergency shelters	22.56%	19.53%	22.05%	24.92%	10.94%		
	134	116	131	148	65	594	3.18
Street outreach	3.87%	8.08%	10.61%	15.15%	62.29%		
	23	48	63	90	370	594	1.76

Q10 Please tell us about yourself:

Answered: 506 Skipped: 275

nswer Choices	Responses	
Name of your organization:	80.83%	409
Service area of your organization:	81.23%	411
Your name:	89.13%	451
Your email address:	88.93%	450
County in which you reside:	98.02%	496

Q11 Feel free to add additional comments on any of the questions or topics in this survey.

Answered: 131 Skipped: 650